



**PATENT APPLICATION**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Toshihisa NIHEI et al.

Group Art Unit: 3683

Application No.: 10/734,245

Examiner: C. P. SCHWARTZ

Filed: December 15, 2003

Docket No.: 117404

For: VEHICULAR BRAKE SYSTEM AND  
METHOD OF CONTROLLING SAME BRAKE  
SYSTEM

**MAIL STOP RCE**

**LARGE ENTITY REQUEST FOR  
CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.114, Applicants hereby request continued examination.

- ☒ Applicants further request entry and consideration of the attached submission.
- ☒ The submission filed December 8, 2005 is not to be entered.

The above-identified application was filed on or after June 8, 1995. Thus, entry is proper under 37 C.F.R. §1.114(d).

Attached hereto is our check no. 176211 in the amount of ☒ \$790.00 as payment of the fees set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 15-0461. Two duplicate copies of this page are enclosed.

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